

Wenham Conservation Commission Meeting Minutes of March 27, 2006

Members Present

Patrick Wilson (chairman)
Philip Colarusso
Ken Whittaker

Robert Burnett
Roland Bonnette (arrived at 8:10)
Linda Hansen (coordinator and secretary)

7:30 – 8:40 PM CONSERVATION COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETING

7:30 The minutes from March 13, 2006 will be reviewed at the next meeting. One bill was signed.

7:34 Notice of Intent – 8 Kimball Avenue

DEP file number (not assigned)

Tracey Hutchinson, owner

Motion was made, seconded, and approved by all present to continue public hearing (4-0).

7:36 Notice of Intent – 24 William Fairfield Drive

DEP file number (326-0286)

David Page, owner

Commission requested that distances from the stream be determined.

Motion was made, seconded, and approved by all present to continue public hearing (4-0).

7:37 Request for Determination

MassHighway

Herbicide application on Route 128

Robert Boon, environmental engineer from MassHighway, present.

Commission discussed herbicide application project. Area subject to application is Route 128

Northbound and Southbound, north of Grapevine Road. Spraying is scheduled to begin in May. A motion was made, seconded, and approved by all present to grant a negative determination (4-0).

7:51 Certificate of Compliance

DEP file numbers 326-0249 and 326-0263

8 Birch Road

Michael C. Caruso

Agent Hansen performed a site visit on March 21, 2006. Commissioner Burnett requested a site visit. Motion was made, seconded, and approved by all present to continue public hearing (4-0).

8:00 Discussion

1. Commission discussed concerns by abutter regarding 24 William Fairfield Drive.
2. BSWSB letter--clarify why their routine maintenance is exempt.
3. 67 Maple street--determine wetlands location.
4. Article on Town Meeting warrant allows ConCom to issue violations and collect under 21D.
5. Citizen requested information regarding pond ownership behind Maple Street.
6. Burley Street 40 B project, letter to DALA.
7. Review bylaw in preparation of overhaul of town's bylaws. Add policy statements.

9:00 Meeting Adjourned. A motion was made, seconded, and unanimously approved by all present (5-0) to adjourn the meeting.